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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0002] with the following amended paragraph:

[0002] The present invention relates to a multimedia recording and reproduction system and more particularly pertains to an automatic multimedia recording and reproduction system ~~a system for application in an automatic vending machine~~ for recording and reproduction of sound and moving images as well as still images.

Please replace paragraph [0007] with the following amended paragraph:

[0007] In view of the aforesaid disadvantages now present in the prior art, the present invention provides an automatic multimedia recording and reproduction ~~[[a]] system comprising at least for application in a multipurpose automatic vending machine~~ for recording and reproduction of sound and moving images as well as still images. It can record videos of sound and moving images and produce within minutes video compact discs (VCDs), digital video discs (DVDs) or any other format of recording discs which can hold digitized texts, photos, sound and/or videos. It can also record still images and produce photo stickers as well as passport photos. Furthermore, it can reproduce digital still or moving images which are stored in various memory cards. It enables users to produce photos, photo stickers and/or recording discs on the spot without the assistance of a photographer or technician.

Please replace paragraph [0021] with the following amended paragraph:

[0021] It is an object of the present invention to provide an automatic multimedia recording and reproduction system ~~a system for application in a multipurpose multimedia automatic vending machine~~ for self-service recording and reproduction of sound and moving images, taking of still images, producing photo stickers, passport photos and photos of preferred sizes as well as reproduction of still images or sound and moving images from pre-recorded memory cards.

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Please replace paragraph [0029] with the following amended paragraph:

[0029] As illustrated in FIG. 1, the present invention generally comprises a controlling and processing system 1, a payment handling system 2, a data storage system 3, a sound and image recording system 4, a reproduction and output system 5, a power supply system 6 and a system for supplying specific recording discs 7. The payment handling system 2, the data storage system 3, the sound and image recording system 4, the reproduction and output system 5 and the power supply system 6 are each connected to the controlling and processing system 1. The payment handling system 2, the sound and image recording system 4 and the reproduction and output system 5 are each connected to the power supply system 6. The controlling and processing system 1, the payment handling system 2, the data storage system 3, the sound and image recording system 4, the reproduction and output system 5 and the power supply system 6 are structured as an automatic vending machine in a booth shape. The system for supplying the specific recording discs 7 is structured as a separate ~~[[an]]~~ automatic vending machine isolated from the automatic vending machine incorporating the controlling and processing system 1, the payment handling system 2, the data storage system 3, the sound and image recording system 4, the reproduction and output system 5 and the power supply system 6.